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AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SOPN

SUBJECT: WP CORRESPONDENT CONCEDES ERROR RE U.S. MILITARY
PERSONNEL INDONESIA

1. IN ARTICLE DESCRIBING SITUATION INDONESIA BEGINNING CAMPAIGN
NATIONAL ELECTIONS PUBLISHED WP FEBRUARY 24 BANGKOK-BASED COR-
RESPONDENT LEWIS SIMONS REFERRED TO QUOTE SUDDEN INCREASE
NUMBER MILITARY ADVISORS ASSIGNED U.S. EMBASSY FOLLOWING
THEIR WITHDRAWAL FROM THAILAND UNQUOTE. SIMONS WROTE FURTHER
QUOTE MILITARY CONTINGENT PROBABLY LARGEST PART OF STAFF UNQUOTE
CITING EMBASSY SOURCE.

2. FOLLOWING RECEIPT SUBJECT ARTICLE EMBASSY PRESS ATTACHE
DISCUSSED STATEMENTS IN DETAIL WITH SIMONS, POINTING OUT THAT
IN FACT THERE HAVE BEEN NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES NUMBER U.S.
MILITARY IN INDONESIA FOR SEVERAL YEARS, DLG IS NOT LARGEST
ELEMENT EMBASSY STAFF AND GIVING BRIEF EXPLANATION NATURE
DLG MISSION INDONESIA.

3. SIMONS ACCEPTED CORRECTION ERRORS AND EXPRESSED GRATITUDE
FRANKNESS DISCUSSION. HE STATED REFERENCE TO INCREASE MILITARY
ADVISORS STEMMED FROM REMARK MADE TO HIM BY U.S. MILITARY
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OFFICER IN BANGKOK PRIOR HIS DEPARTURE FOR JAKARTA. CONCEDED
MISQUOTE RELATIVE SIZE DLG DUE MISUNDERSTANDING.
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Message Attributes

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